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ARRIVALS. March 5, MASSALIA, German steamer, 1,263, G Petersen, Saigon 2nd March, General .-SIEMSSEN & Co. March 6, STENFOR, British str., 1,206, Edwards

Shanghai via Amoy 1st March, General.-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. March 6, Woosung, British steamer, 1,109, A

Hunt, Sydney 5th February, Brisbane 9th, Townsville 13th, Cooktown 14th, Thorsday Island 18th, and Port Darwin 23rd, Coal -BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. March 6, Arratoon Apear, British str., 1,392

A. B. Maotavish, Calcutta and Sandheads 19th February, Penang 25th, and Singapore |. 27th. Opinm and General.-David Sas- BOOTS AND SHOES, soon, Sona & Co.

March 6, DUBURG, Garman steamer, 1,097 Schultz, Swatow tth Mirch, General.-Bun HIN & Co.

March 6, Tarsans, British steamer, 1,505, L. L. Davies, Calcutta 18th February, Penang and Singapore 27th, Opium and General.-JARDINE, MATERESON & Co.

March 6, Amov, British steamer, 814, D'Egville -- Iron Whampon, General. -- Stemssen & Co. March 6, ENTERPRISE; American corvette, from

> CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 6TH MARCHS

Glearoy, British str., for Shanghai. Yorkshire, British str., for Shanghai. Pembrokeshire, British str., for Saigon. Duburg, German str., for Singapore. Æjean, British str., for Whampon. Harter, British str., for Singapora. Stentor, British str., for Singapore. May, British sch., for Singapore.

DEPARTURES. March 5. Celebes. Dutch steamer, for Saigin. March 6, TEHERAN, British steamor, for Naga-

saki, &c. March 6, Anton, German steamer, for Hollow. March 6. ALWINE, Gorman str., for Huifong. March 6, CLAYMORE, British str., for Swatow. March 6. Enterprise, Amr. corv., for a craise. Murch 6, ÆBEAN, British str., for Whampon. March 6, HARRER, British str., for Singapore. March 6, Saman, American ship, for Cobu. March 6, Melitra, German str., for Chefoo. March 6, MOUNT LEBANON, Britis back, for Saigon.

March 6, HELICON, Amr. ship, for Victoria, B.C. PASSENGERS.

Per Wossung, str., from Port Darwin .- Mr. Carlos Wesch, and 90 Chinese. Per Massalia, str., from Saigon.—10 Chinese. Por Duburg str., from Swatow.—410 Chinese Per Steator, str., from Shanghai, &c.-Mc Paul, and Miss Lawrence, and 49 Chinese. Por Arratoon Apcar, str., from Calcutta, &c. -Col. Nugent, Me and Mrs. Aaron S. Gubbay, Mesars. D. A. Gubbay, A. Y. Gabbay, S. J. D. Cohen, P. Teske, F. Scoulandé, and 654 Chinese.

Por Telepan, str., for Yokolism . -- From Hong. kong.-Mr. and Mrs. Chance, Messrs. McQueen and W. McQueen.

REPORTS. The British steamer Stentor reports from most Popular Song of the day: Sailor's Rest; Shanghai via Amoy on the 1st instant, and had Steady and Ready; One Day of Roses (Adelina light variable winds and dense fog from port to | Patti's favourite Song), &c., &c.

The German steamer Duburg reports left-Saigon on the 2nd inst., and had light and calm, E. and S.E. winds and fine weather during the whole passage.

The British steamer Woosung reports left Sydney 5th Feb., Brisbane 9th, Townsville 13th,

The British steamer Arratoon Appear reports from Calcutta via Sandheads on the 19th Feb., Penang on the 25th, and Singapore on the 27th. First part strong monsoon, latter part more moderate and fine weather. Was detained six hours off Lema Island through dense fog.

The British steamer Taisang reports 3.25 p.m., Feb. 18th, left Calcutta moorings; 5 p.m., 19th, passed Sanger. Left Saudheads with fine wanther and light to moderate N.E. and E. monsoon with smooth sea, which lasted to Sayer Islands; Has a Larger, Choicer, and more Complete terly winds and smooth sea. From Penang to in the Empire, the Copies of which are only at the Post Office. When the form is presented singapore had fine weather with light variable to be purchased at his Studio or Messrs. with ten clean stamps the depositor will be winds and smooth sea. Left Singapore at 5.30 Kelly & Walsh's Store. p.m. with dull, cloudy weather and heavy rain. I YORY MINIATURES of Superior Excellence After leaving Horsburgh weather cleared up. and High Finish, painted under careful Had fresh to strong N. and N.E. winds with Supervision. patu; from thence to 30 miles South of Ladrones | TRATES of different sizes taken daily. fine, clear weather and moderate to light winds, and from thence to Ladrones hazy weather; THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE from Ladrones to Lingting dense fog; from Lingting to port clear, fog overhead.

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The Selection and Payment of the said Fees and Purchase money to be made within one month from this date. By the Governor's Commadd,

- HENRY WALKER.

Commissioner of Lands Sandakan, 9th February, 1885.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 7th, 1885.

FIRE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. LIMITED. IECORPORATED IN LONDON on 18th July, 1884. UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1862 to 1863.

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H. A. HERBERT. Hongkong, 15th September, 1634.

NOTICE. ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.
LL HOLDERS of NOTES of the

A ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-THON (HONGKONG BRANCH) are hereby requested to present them to the LIQUIDATORS And has just opened the following popular of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange a Certificate of the Value of the Notes deposited. HOLDERS of Norss will be required

furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, a schedule, in duplicate, giving the date of Issue, Number, and amount of each Note produced. Forms of Schedule may be had on application. at the OFFICE of the OPIENTAL BANK COR-PORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong. For the

OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR . OBJENTAL BANK CORPORATION By his Attorneys - J. MELVILLE MATSON, H. HOWARD TAYLOR.

Hongkong. 4th August, 1884. TONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL\$7,500,000 Reserve Fund RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF DIVIDENDS RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-7,500,000. PRIETORS

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong. 28th February 1885.

NOTICE. TOULES OF THE HONGKON SAVINGS BANK.

1.-The business of the above Bank will be Cooktown 14th, Thursday Island 18th, and Port and ashore, on most reasonable serms. PUNCTU- Banking Corporation, on their premises in admitted. Darwin 23rd; had N.E. winds and squally and ALTIY and FIRST CLASS WOREMANSHIP Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1.

ESTIMATES farnished for the construction of | 2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and Shang-STEAM LAUNCHES, REPAIRS to the ENGINES hai Banking Corporation will form a direct and BOILERS of STEAM SHIPS, CASTINGS, Security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank.

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a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or credited one dollar. 6.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having 8100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-

hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values. 8.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent per

sunum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must Closed. not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Register-

ed Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked On Hong-KONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and

11.-Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or girls earn nearly as much as men. Full particuhis duly appointed Agent, and the production of lars and instructions mailed free. Now is the his Pass-Book are necessary. 12.-All documents connected with the business of the Savings Bank are exempt from Stamp Duty.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-ING CORPOBATION. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 26th April, 1884

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Hongkong, 14th January, 1885.

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AUCTION.

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Hongkong, 6th March, 1885. FURNITURE SALE.

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instant, both days inclusive.

General Agents. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885. LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

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NOTICE. HE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING I or SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be hold at the Offices of the PENSARY, Politiers Street. General Agents, No. 7, Queen's Road Central,

on WEDNESDAY, the 18th instant, at HALF-PAST TWELVE O'GLOCK NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1894. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 18th instant, both days inclusive, JARDINE MATHESON & Co..

General Agents. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1884.

CONFRIBUTORS to the above Office are U requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1884, in order that the DISTRIBUTION OF BONUS may be arranged-Returns not rendered prior to the 31st day of O. 3. WEST TERRACE. Eatry from March instant will be Adjusted by the Office 1st March. A tion of ENGINEERING WORK both affoat conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai and no Claims or alterations will be subsequently

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885.

HE DIVIDEND declared for the half-year ending 31st December, 1834, at the rate of (£2) Two Pounds Sterling per Share of \$125 is Payable on and after MONDAY, the

By Order of the Court of Directors, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 28th February, 1885.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS

U are requested to send in a Statement of Business Contributed during the Half-Year ended 31st December, 1831, on or before 31st March next, on which date the Accounts will be

By Order of the Board of Directors. D. GILLIES, · Secretary. Hongkong, 25th February, 1885.

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MOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

NOTICES OF FIRMS. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

MR. E. A. RAVEN having retired to Europe, the Business hitherto existing NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND

CALCUTTA. H. EBELL. THE Company's Steamship having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees NOTICE.

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 10th instant, will be at once

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 7th March, 1885. NOTICE TO CONTIGUEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. "ARRATOON APCAR."

that, under the New Management, the grounds signees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in of complaint heretofore existing will be removed, their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for SATURDAY EVENING, the 21st instant. and that full satisfaction will be given to countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside. Cargo impeding discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk and ex-

Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 13th instant. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 7th March, 1885.

STEAMSHIP "VORTIGERN." NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE.

"VORTIGERN," Captain Brown, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium and Treasure, are being landed and stored at their risk, into the Godowns of Messrs. [476 Meyer & Co., on the Praya East, whence and/or from - the wharves or boats delivery may be

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 15th instant, will be subject to rent. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be Countersigned by

HOP YICK & Co.,

No. 23. Wing Sking Street. Hongkong, 6th March, 1885. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

immediately above the Victoria Dis- having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 1 P.M., TO-DAY, the 4th instant. Cargo remaining andelivered after the 12th instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE. MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 4th March, 1885.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. HE Steamship

Captain Titzek, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' . [396] risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will e effected

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Japan, unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-MORROW, the 5th instant. All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 13th instant, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 4th March, 1885. UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG, AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship " YORKSHIRE," Capt. Arnold, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignous of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Under-

signed for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Shanghai unless notice to the contrary be given before

NOON, TO-MORROW, the 4th instant. All Claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 12th instant, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885.

TOCONSIGNEESOF OPTIONAL CARGO EXO. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "BELLEROPHON," FROM LIVERPOOL.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

g. 24th December, 1884.

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SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 7th inst., for shipment perstance "CY A HOUSE" BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1885. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

> CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer BELLEROPHON," are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Property moveable or immoveable of the above Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for named Defendants, within the Colony of Hongdelivery from Craft or Godown on and after the kong, has been issued in this Suit pursuant to 3rd March, 1885. Goods undelivered after the 9th March.

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Hongkong, 7th March, 1885. FOR SHANGHAI. THE Steamship

Captain D'Egville, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 7th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, 6th March, 1885. UNION LINE.

" MOSSER.' Ports on MONDAY, the 9th inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 6th March, 1835. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR TIENTSIN VIA SWATOW. HE Company's Chartered Steamship "ÆGEAN.". Captain Thomas, will be despatched as above

on or about the 10th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACT. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Persons desirons of Tendering can procure Forms of Tender and Specification on application at the ROYAL ENGINEER OFFICE, between the hours of 10 A M. and S P. W. on Week Days up to MONDAY, the 9th March, included. TENDERS addressed to the SENIOR COMMIS-SARIAT OFFICER, must be received not later than 12 o'clock Noon, on WEDNESDAY,

the 11th March, 1885. The lowest or any Tender will not neces-Commissariat and Transport Office.

ARMY CONTRACTS, 1885-6. TYENDERS in Duplicate marked on the Cover "TENDER FOR ARMY CONTRACTS," will be received until 12 o'clock Noon, on Undermentioned SUPPLIES and SERVICES [484] ing the year from 1st April, 1885, to 31st March, 1886.

SUPPLIES. 1.-For Her Majesty's Troops.-Provisions, Fuel and Light, &c. 2.—For Hospitals.—Provisions, Fruit, Wines,

Samples to accompany each Tender for Sup-Forms of Tender, Conditions of Contract, &c., can be obtained on application at the Commissariat Buildings, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. Daily.

The Secretary of State for War reserves to himself the right of accepting the whole or a portion of any Tender, and does not bind himself to accept the lowest. Commissariat and Transport Office,

> IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. FOREIGN ATTACHMENT. SUIT No. 6 of 1885.

DEFENDANTS-HIS EXCELLENCY THOMAS DE SOUZA ROZA, JOAO CORREA PAIS D'ASSUMPCAO, MANUEL FRANCISCO LEITAO AND JOAO ALBINO RIBEIRO

Foreign Attachment, roturnsble on the 18th day of March, 1885, against all the the Previsions of Section LXXXII. of "The

Plaintiff's Solicitor, 50, Queen's Road, Victoria.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

their Old Premises to No. 52, LYNDHUBST MEERZA EBRAHIM & Co. Hongkong, 9th February, 1885. MAIL TABLES.

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[48] THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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NOTICE.

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Hongkong, 5th March, 1885.

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Hongkong, 24th December, 1884.

Hongkong, 17th February, 1885.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1895.

Hongkong, 7th March, 1885.

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Hongkong, 6th March, 1885.

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28th February, 1885.

PLAINTIFF-WONG SHING HING.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Writed Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure," Dated the 3rd day of March, 1885. DANIEL E. CALDWELL,

THE Undersigned have REMOVED from TERRACE.

5th January, 1885.

NOTICE.

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side of the paper only. Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until countermanded... Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should be sent before 11 a.m. on the day of publication.

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MARRIAGE. On the 26th February, at the Cathedral Church of John, by the Rev. W. Jennings, M.A., CHARLES HILLYAR, eldest son of H. B. CUNDALL, Timperley, Cheshire, to ELIZABETH MARY, youngest daughter of obason Fletcher, Northwich, Cheshire.

HONGKONG. MARCH 7TH 1385. Some occurrences which have recently take place in connection, with Coroner's inquests in Hongkong have excited no little attention, and seem to point to the necessity for some alteration in the law on the subject." A few months ago a Bill was introduced at Singapore providing that the Coroner may hold an inquest by himself, summoning a jury only in difficult cases where he thinks their assistance necessary. Commenting on this Bill at the time, we suggested that a similar measure might with advantage be introduced in Hongkong, and, further, that the necessity of viewing the body might also visum corporis, and, if interment has taken place, the body has to be exhumed for the purpose of being viewed by the jurors. It a juror during the period for which the adjournment has been made. The other day, however, Mr. Wodenouse opened and com- marder case, snother arrest has been made, artillery, and the rifle and mitrailleuse fire with as he was carrying off the swag. of SINNETT -the man who was killed while three alleged to have been engaged in the com- were on their guard. The operation of disendervouring to obtain access into a board- man who is believed to have been one of the three much more so than usual on this occasion with ing-house by climbing up the water spoutwithout any view of the body, whatever, and this not because there was any difficulty in obtaining a view, but simply because the in which the inquest was hold. However and in trimming a kerosine lamp she upset it, much this course may commend itself to signified, and she was terribly burned. An inquest Having conducted the torpedo boats up to One of the defendants, named Lan, Afo, made ance with law, and the proceedings were therefore illegal. Another case which attracted some attention was that of the inquest on the body of ALLI MAHOMED REHE-MALLY, the Indian murdered in Lyndhurst Terrace. In this case Mr. Wodehous apinstructed the jury to find a verdict on the Capital." the evidence before them, the result being that a verdict of murder against some person or persons unkn wn was returned, and this although at the time a man was in custody _that he was the guilty party. In cases of murder it is the duty of the coroner and jury not only to find that a murder has been committed, but also, if possible, who committed the murder. Very different was the course livered judgment this morning regarding the of procedure in the case of the unfortunate grounding of the Chusan. The Court were of man who was killed by falling down a well opinion that Captain Wyatt was deserving of Here there was no auspicion of foul play; it was a clear case of accidental death; but Mr. Wodehouse seemed to think it his duty to inquire into the policy parsued by the Executive with reference to allowing such wells to exist. That the system was a bad one was very clear; that after the lamen table fourteen cleared, one or two of them being in cutastrophe which it had brought about it ballast or taking only part cargoes. Advices as would be amended was equally beyond doubt; exportation of this article has not been on such but from the very first it was apparent that a large scale as was expected this season. In no charge of culpable negligence could be the neighbourhood of the military posts in the brought home to any individual. It was the proved, and trade is reviving. Acts of piracy, system that was at fault, and for the system the Government was responsible. Yet the Coroner's jury was called together time after The Shen-pae of the 26th ult. states that the time to pursue a useless inquiry, at the expense of much loss of time and inconvenience of the Vicoroy Tseng Kwo-chuan. The to all parties concerned. That the pursuing same paper says that the Yu Yuen and the Chen of the inquiry in the direction it took was in Ching were not sunk by French torpedo-boats. fact useless was plainly shown by the result, the jury finding a simple verdict of ac- to fill them with water; and by doing so they atcidental death, and declining to add any

cessury to remedy a very dangerous state of

the hands of the Coroner or jury. At all

events, such seems to have been the view

adopted by the latter. This, we take it, was

a case in which the inquiry might very well

have been conducted by the Coroner sitting

therefore the system of attempting to arrest gamblers ought to be done away with. That the laws relating to gambling are susceptible of great improvement we know, but we fail to follow the argument of Mr. Wonenoves. It would be impossible, of course. to regulate by Ordinance the view Coroner might take in any particular case, but we think a Bill to amend the general law relating to Coroner's inquests might be States. introduced with great advantage. The two points we would chiefly insist on are that the Coroner might hold an inquiry without a. jury in cases where he does not think the assistance of a jury necessary, and that the obligation to view the body should b abolished. For the consideration of the Executive we would further suggest that if inquests are to be held at the Mortuary some suitable room in which to hold them should be provided. Some small fee, say a dollar, forces. should also be paid to jurors, who at present, in addition to having to serve on these unpleasant inquiries, are put to expense for chair hire. In England a small fee is paid to Coroner's jurous, varying in different the autograph signature of places from 9d. to 1s., though they are selled and Perrins on a red dom put to any expense for travelling, while Proprietors, Worcoster; and in this Colony they often pay as much as a dollar for chair hire. The grievance is small one, perhaps, but none the less is it

> The Saigonnais states that the approaches to are completely defended by torpedoes The Agents (Messra, Russell & Co.) inform us that the E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Airlie left Port Darwin on the 5th inst. for this port.

The American corvette Enterprise, Commander Barker, left here yesterday morning for a oruise and returned to her moorings later in

We are informed by the Agent that the M. M. Co.'s steamer Melbourne, with the next French

The Dully News says the Chinese at Ningpo state that the sailors on board the Chinese menof war are so demoralized that many of them his line of battle. The cry of Vive la France have deserted.

The blockade runner Waverley left Shanghai | the Chinese took to flight with a start of several on the 27th ult. for Sheipoo Roads. She had miles. on board some foreign experts who will ascertain whether the two men-of-war which were sunk by the French can be raised.

The performance of "The Forty Thieves" by the Willard Company at the Theatre Royal has been postponed from Saturday to Wednesday next on account of the indisposition of a gentleman amateur who had promised to take part.

We are informed that the Hongkong and a new loan on the London market of one and ahalf million sterling (£1,500,000) for the Chinese falling snow. Only the Yu-yuen and Chen-ching Government on the security of the Imperial Maritimo Customs.

menced to-day-punctually at 2.30 p.m. By kind

It is rumoured (sav. the Courier) that the desire for peace with France has reached some two vessels. He went in person to examine the of the members of the Peking Cabinet, and that be done away with. As the law stands at there is a split in that body, which makes an present an inquest can be held only super early tettlement of the present difficulties pro-We give the news with all reserve.

The advices received at Saigon from Cambodia and the Cochin-Chinese provinces continue to report the restoration of quiet and the disapsometimes happens that this has to be done pearance of the rebals. A proclamation has hostile vessels by torpedoes. in adjourned inquests owing to the death of been issued by King Norodom warning the people to keep aloof from agitators who are endeavourling to stir up disturbances.

pleted an inquiry as to the cause of the death This makes two prisoners in custody against which M. Ravel was received showed that they mission of the crime. The prisoner is a China- charging the torpedoes, always difficult, and who attacked the Indian shopkeeper. He will only the Bayard's little steam-launches halfbe brought before the Police Court to day.

died in the Tong Wah Hospital from injuries Bayard, and Lieutenant Duboc were told off for punished. received on the 21st February. The deceased body was lying in a different place from that was employed as af servant in Cochrane-street, and the oil poured over her clothes. These

verdict of accidental death was returned. Says the Courier :- "Prince Chun has receiv ed the order of the Throne to consult with the Tsung-li Yamen and the Board of Revenue upon the advisability of increasing the Lekin taxes upon sundry articles of import and export, notable amongst which, as affecting foreign interests, parently got tired of the proceedings, and proposed, and are still under consideration in

The Saigonnais says it is announced that the French Consulate at Bangkok will shortly b elevated into a Consulate, General, and that M. Harmand will be appointed to it. Our contem. porary expresses the hope that this news may be against whom there was very strong evidence true. M. de Kergaradec has held the appointment of Consul for six months, but has not yet taken over the duties of the office, as he still remains in France.

> A telegram in the Englishman dated Bombay consure in keeping up the high speed he did when passing through a narrow strait on a hazy night, and on such a course. The Court urged the necessity of a light being erected on Obstruction Point for the safer navigation of the Perim Straits."

> - During the month of February eighteen merchant vessels entered the port of Haiphong, and interior the roads are being opened up and imhowever, continue to be reported from time to

family of Captain Chin Yung-chai, Commander but holes were made in the bottoms of the Chinese warships by their respective commanders. tempted to get free from punishment for abandrider or make any recommendation. The ac- published in another column states that only one BEFORE THE HON. SIE GEORGE PHILLIPPO, cident showed that some action was ne. vessel was sunk by torpedoes, and that the other was sunk by the guns of her companion, which took her for a Frenchman. That she should Chun Yie Chung and Others v. M. J. D. is at Singapore, having been left behind with the Kweichow) has issued a decree for the destructhings, but in such a plain matter it is to be have been scuttled, however, would not be altobornd the Government would not require gether inconsistent with the French account, any intimation as to what its duty was at other being apparently made on supposition.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND SERVICES FOR TO-3ED SUNDAY IN LENT.

CATHEDRAL.

the statement that the two vessels fired at each

alone, were the law such as to allow of that | 8 a.m. Parade Service, Morning Prayer and Sormon, course being taken. Another recent case in 11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, Litany, and Sermon, the row strip of land belonging to them which the which rather a peculiar view was taken by the Coroner was that of a gambler who was Chaplain. Preacher, Rev. O. Chemutt.

killed by jumping from the roof of a house 5 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon, the Bishop. while endeavouring to evade arrest by the 7.30 p.m. Soldiers Voluntary Service, Rev. O. Chespolice. Mr. Wodehouse's argument seeninutt. Prescher, the Bishop.
ST. STEPHEN'S CRURCH. (All Services in Chinese). 'ed to be that because gamblers in their at-11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, &c., Reve. J. B. Oat and Fong Yat San. Preacher, the Bishop.
6.30 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon, Reve. J. B. tempts to escape will sometimes take the insane course of leaping from great beights, Ost and Fong Yat Sau.

LATEST TELEGRAMS LONDON, 5th March THE POLICY OF PRESIDENT

CLEVELAND. President Cleveland, in the course of his sugaral speech at Washington, stated that the policy of the United States Government would be the avoidance of all entangling foreign al liances and the exclusion of the Chinesefrom-the

BLOCKADE OF PAKHOL We have received the following from M. D

jardin, French Consul:---It appears from a telegram of Commandant Beaumont, dated Haiphong, the 5th instant, that blockade has been declared off Pakhol, from the frontier of Tonquin to 107 o longitude, to be in force from the 7th of March; and that no notice thereof could be sent to the foreign Consuls in Pakhoi as no communications were possible between the place and the French naval

[FROM "N. C/ DAILY NEWS."]

Токто, 27/5 February. JAPANESE EMBASSY TO CHINA. Count Ito is to loave for Tiontsin by the Sat suma Maru to-morrow as Ambassador Extraor dinary. He is accompanied by a suite of twenty persons, including General Saigo.

FRENCH ACCOUNT OF THE DES TRUCTION OF THE TWO CHINESE MEN-OF-WAR.

destruction of the two Chinese vessels at Sheipoo fuller than any that have yet appeared and differing from them in some very important details. The French squadron consisted of the Stephens anything beyond the line fixed by Mr. | the national spirit is good, and the nation is be-Eclaireur, Saone, and Aspic. Having given details of Admiral Courbet's search for the enemy the account proceeds :- At daybreak on the 13th February our vessels, ready for action, were not more than five or six miles from Sheipoo roads. mail, left Saigon yesterday at 4 p.m. for this Suddenly the Eclaireur and Aspic, which were in advance, sighted the smoke of five steamers along the shore; it was the enemy, no doubt manmuvring to get clear of the rocks and form arose from all the French vessels. Vain hope!

> them at full speed. Torrents of smoke sprang from all the funnels, and the Saine and Aspic set all sail so as not to be left in the rear. The gun from the Bayard announcing that the enemy was within range was expected every instant. But alas! the Chinese cruisers, fresh out of dock, had the advantage

long pursuit Admiral Courbet had to give up the on Fraud, pages 81 to 87, from which he read. chase after the fugitives, and he then directed his attention to disengaging himself of the other entrances to the harbour from the east, to satisfy himself that, as the nautical instructions stated the currents and rocks rendered them inaccessible to large vessels. The interior-channels of the San-moon Bay, which the Aspic had been sent to sound, are shallow and very little known. The Admiral then decided to destroy the two

went the same evening to reconneitre the position. | various persons at Shaukiwa to on the 6th inst.

this brilliant and dangerous mission. The expedition, piloted by Lieut. Ravel in a and indicated their position, Lieut Ravel re- amusement for nothing. As he had no ticket,

Cannon balls and bullets from the rifles and mit- in about half an hour with a force of about 20 railleuses whistled past, the steam launches were men, which included the other defendants. He struck, and one man fell mortally wounded. France. With this the boats charged at full table. The other men had bamboos and stones, Duboc the starboard side, and two large holes | cient force to make some arrests. The complain- | tude of China in her conflict with France, whe- other steamer will be chartered for Calcutta. were made in the vessel. Their duty was brilli- anta alleged that after the uproar \$10 were miss- ther to make peace or continue war, and they antly and effectively done. The next care was | ed from the shroff's room.

between the two vessels, each taking the other for a Frenchman. The fact is that the Chenching, which was not attacked by torpedoes, sank before the frigate, which was kept affect for several hours by its water tight compartments. Lieut. Ravel, after having searched the harbour all the remainder of the night for the two steam-launches, returned at daylight to the Bayard, reporting the success of the operation and the disappearance of the heroes who had carried it into effect. This caused at once a lively and a sad emotion. The Eclaireur and Aspic were immediately sent to search in San-moon Bay, and the Admiral himself left alone, without any further escort, in a small boat to explore Sheipoo. He there saw with his own eyes the masts

muddy water of the harbour. chored at the entrance to San-moon Bay, and the same clearance would do. wards amidst the enthusiastic acclamations of ment. The money was paid. the crews of the other vessels, which manned the yards and rigging to receive them.

SUPREME COURT. 6th March.

IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION CHIEF JUSTICE.

Mr. Francis, instructed by Mr. Caldwell, ap. for the Chinese Government. peared for the plaintiffs; the Attorney-General A new crime is becoming prevalent at Shang. enquiry has been sent to Ch'en to know if the (Hon. E. L. O'Melley) and Mr. H. M. Baily, hai, namely, that of vitriol throwing. A day or English Missionaries are to be put to death as instructed by Mesers. Wotton and Deacon, for two ago a native youth, in a fit of jealousy, threw well; and they were at the time of writing

Lot No. 184, complained that the defendant, who Daily News. was the owner of Marine Lot No. 185, had pulled down a wall of a house standing upon the former defendant claimed as his property so as completely to deprive the plaintiffs of light and air party is now in the ascendant, and dominates the December their terror was increased. Report through the windows of their godowns, and the Councils of the Empire, so that the wish for says that the reason for the above massacre was plaintiffs claimed \$500 for damages and that the peace, provided it is not accompanied by excest that the Roman Catholics were going to revolt. defendant be restrained by the injunction of the sive and humiliating conditions, is sincere. The The Kong-pao orders, according to the Ta-li Court from trespassing on this land. The de- obstacle in the way of reconciliation with France people, all Western foreigners to be killed. fendant claimed that in pulling down part of the is in London. The Marquis Teeng could carwall of the plaintiffs' godown he had only been tainly give many plausible reasons for continupursuing his right, as the building stood upon ing war. He sees the difficulties of France, and a piece of land near his present residence, for the his ground. The action lasted four days, judg- knows the reluctance of the French nation to purpose of building a house, to be designed by Court to recover Rs. 20,000 from the estate of

His Lordship now gave judgment in the case. I remote regions, and calculates that France will He observed that the question appeared to be give in rather than face porsistent and stubborn ship had not seen his way to come to a conclusion | military nation. In the meantime China

cock's evidence was based entirely upon the paid braves now attack the French en masse, and ficulty, and by having recourse to strategic devices. lease measurements of a large block of ground face the deadly hail of cannon, machine guns. Fortunately the armour plating of the steam in getting provisions. The Chinese have been which had been sold to various parties without and the Kropatchek magazine rife, with a cruel mer rendered the hail of rifle bullets compara—compelled to despoil the libraries of the Mission-taking into account the dealings which had taken waste of life. The losses of France have been atively harmless. Both steamers were wrecked aries in order to procure material for gun wads. place with regard to the land in the meantime. excessive in proportion to the numbers of the ox- while returning to Metammeh. One steamer This might have answered very well had the peditionary forces, and many of the sick who was wrecked sixty miles from Gubat, and twenty ground remained unbuilt upon, but His Lord- have returned to Europe will never be able to do miles further down the river the other steamer ship did not think that they could rely entirely a day's work again, ruined as they have been by became a wreck. Treachery is suspected in upon the lease measurements where the ground malignant fevers, dysenteries, and hepatic ab- connection with the destruction of the steamers. had been built upon with the assent, express or scasses. The number of Gauls who in Tonquin, The crews having landed on a small island in implied, of the Government and the adjoining Formosa, and at the Min entrance, wait for the middle of the river, Colonel Wortley got lot-holders. Even admitting him to be correct Tuba mirum spargens sonum, will be kept secret into an open boat and proceeded down the river in his assumptions and his measurements, which by the French Government. In fight many fell, to Gubat without receiving any molestation had been made from West to East, His Lord- but fatigues, the poisonous exhalation from the from the Arabs. ship could not agree with him that it amounted swamps, the pouring rains, privation, and want There are several contradictory rumours is to an assumption, far less to prove, that there of rest, have slain very many, and the conquest regard to the fate of General Gordon, but no was an encroachment at any time by the holder will be made at a dreadful price to France. But reliable news. One of the Mahdi's messengers of Marine Lot 184 on Whitty-street. His Lord- in Formosa, in Yunnan, in Kwangsi, towns and declared that General Gordon had become a ship then went very exhaustively into the dis- hamlets have been depopulated, and the Chinese Mussulman and was wearing the Mahdi's uniposition of the various plots of land forming the losses of young men are very many tens of thou- from; some natives report that he was killed entire block, into the lengthy evidence given by sands. The braves saffer as much from fever lafter fifteen days' fighting; others again say the Surveyors on either side, and the state of and cholera as the French, and have not had a that two slaves whom General Gordon had

Bayard, Triomphante, Duguay-Trouin, Nielly. Donby, and if they could have made no other coming martial, exhaustion is beginning to be arrangements, to have advised a smaller increase seen, and the time has come to look calmly into in the width of Whitty-street consequently upon the conditions of things, and learn if resistance Mr. Danby's arrangement, if Mr. Hancock were | can possibly wrest the dominions from France, and, quiesced in the line fixed by Mr. Danby make honourable peace while honourable terms but by a contingent of Indian troops advancing but as a visionary. Bayond expressing their and buildings had been subsequently erected on matters from this point of view, and sacrifice his Lot 186 up to that line. The owners of Marine wounded pride to his patriotic duties. Lot 185 had built up to the line fixed between . The Korean affair will, it is to be hoped, have London, dated Tuesday, says there is a grave dif-185 and 184, and they had pulled down those flown over. The Japanese have armed, and the ference of opinion regarding the despatch of an buildings, and rebuilt, setting their buildings restless spirits of Tokio at one time hoped for Indian Contingent to the Southen. The India back from that line advisedly, in order to get war, but even if Japan became allied to France. Office authorities view the proposed despatch of light and air. His Lordship did not think that the war would not be carried on without minous Indian troops with disfavour, but they will probaunder these circumstances the Government, strains upon the resources of Japan. A war bly be overruled. The question is still undecided. either through Mr. Stephens, or as originally with Japan would excite the Chinese people to A special telegram to the Bombay Gazette says entitled to the land in question, could justifiably frenzy. The western power is still feared, that the Pall Mall Gazette announces that the The Admiral signalled his vessels to pursue grant to Mr. Stephene any of the ground within though much less now than before, but for Japan Cabinet has decided that it is necessary to main-

> to the building. His Lordship thought the be weighed as light matters. amount of damages claimed, \$500, was a not un. The first vessels to arrive—and we hope that from Suakim under independent command.

POLICE COURT.

6th March BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

Ching Tak Shing, seaman, was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour for stealing 21 articles of cluthing, an umbrella, and a lot of miscellaneous THE SLOP CARBYING CASE.

carrying slops through the streets after prescribed hours was again before the court. worn out by the heavy service they had seen at had been obliged to attend the court two days. value in a military sense to the Empire of the Gordon and his party, and no women or children Kelung, was not too much for the bravery of our discharged them, but warned them that if they | Chaitang coal, or were killed as stated previously, but that the re-On Thursday a woman named Wai Ayung torpedo officers. Captain Gourdon, second of the offended in future they would have to be

Four Chinese were brought before the Court small boat, left on the night of the 14th, and at charged with disorderly conduct and assault in

mained in the rear; roady to afford assistance in he was refused admittance, and when he made a in forcing upon the people other healthy and Madras N. I. has been received. case of accident. The boats with as silently noise and tried to get past, he was bundled out permament industries that will employ many as possible, but the enemy saw term and the into the street. He went away and called a ports of the frigate vomited forth their discharge. muster of his clan, and came to renew the attack was armed with a chopper, which he flourished Forward! cried Captain Gourdon, and Vive la about, but confined its destructive properties to a speed under a frightful fire. Captain Gourdon and the doorkeepers and a shroff had rather a the Empire, including Taotais, have been called troops to Egypt instead of going to Calentta attacked the stern of the frigate and Lieut. hard time of it until the police came up in suffi- upon to give their opinion respecting the atti- with the Artillery now encamped here. An-

to save the boats, the engines of which had been. The defendant Lan Afo, who was the first rendered useless by the explosion and the rush cause of the whole trouble, was fined \$10, or in Viceroy Tso has already cast his vote for the strong, are under orders to proceed to Suskim of water. A strong current carried them away default three weeks' hard labour, to pay \$10 continuance of war, and that Li Hung-chang via Bombay. The 12th Madras Native Infanfrom the enemy; but it also carried them to amends to the complainant, or have another has advised peace. San-moon Bay, far from the rendezvous where fourteen days in gaol, and to find two sureties Lieut. Ravel awaited them. During this time for his good behaviour for six weeks, or add yet specting the construction of the Hei Shang Kolar on Saturday. another week to his term of imprisonment. The | railways; although the censors, the opponents of What passed in the confusion into which this other three defendants were fined 33 each, or in railways, have been handed over to the Board nocturnal attack threw the Chinese it is difficult | default ten days' hard labour. Only one man to say, but a regular fight must have taken place | paid his fine.

MARINE COURT. 6th March.

BEFORE CAPT. H. G. THOMSETT, R.N.

GIVING FALSE PARTICULARS. Tong Asing, master of the Wing Tai junk. was charged with having given false particulars | The Imperial Commissioner Wu To Ching is to obtain a clearance for his junk, from the Yau- coming back and Hau Chang has already armuti Harbour Office, on the 5th inst. The defendant gave his particulars as a cargo

of wood bound for Aberdeen, and when he was

of the enemy's two ships standing up out of the pine wood when he gave the particulars, but all the other treaty ports. Chefoo and Ningpo The torpedo boats, however, after some repairs, being offered a cargo of coal for Canton he sent will probably be the first places where this had been able to reach the Saone, which was and the first cargo by another boat. He thought splendid scheme will show its beneficial effects.

SHANGHAI.

A telegram was received from Tlentain on the 27th ult. to the effect that the weather was much milder, while the ice at Taku was only nine lowing intelligence from the interior:-Recent inches thick. Such being the case, we may ex- intelligence from the province of Yunnan trafilo next week.

In this case, which was heard about three hands were badly burnt. The offence was comweeks ago, the plaintiffs, the owners of Marine mitted near the Bubbling Well tea-house.-

TIENTSIN.

12th February.

mainly one of boundaries between the possessors opposition. His conclusions are wrong, for of Marine Let 184 and Marine Let 185. A. great though no doubt Mansieur Ferry hitterly rues many plans and title deeds had been put in as the days when he first tore up the Bourres comevidence, while the wird voce evidence consisted in promise, and, at a later date, stipulated for an great part of skilled witnesses .- Mr. Danby for intelerable indemnity to be paid by the side that the plaintiffs, and Mr. Hancock for the de was not to blame, yet the honour of France will fendant. Their evidence as was usual in such force her, unwilling as she is, to carry on the cases, was somewhat conflicting, and if His Lord- war if needs be with all the forces of a great

matter. His Lordship did not think this was venue of Formosa, a most rich apparage cannot The city batteries kept up a heavy fire on General necessary, however, because their measurements be collected, and the trade and finances of the Wilson's steamer, and the barsting shells caused were not taken from exactly the same standpoints, Empire are out of joint. The loss of life, too. several casualties. General Wilson was comand there seemed to him to be sufficient evidence has been excessive, and in the late fight in Ton- pelled to retreat, and with batteries in front, and to enable him to dispose of the case without re- quin probably ten Frenchmen are killed at the enormous numbers of Arabs on both sides of the ference exclusively to either of the plans or the expense of 100 Chinese lives. The Chinese now river keeping up a heavy rifle fire, he found this measurements that were in dispute. Mr. Han-fight boldly and well, and the ragged, ill-fed, ill-operation could only be effected with great dif-

things disclosed by the sale-plans, leases, &c. single doctor, nor one ounce of quinine or other promoted to be pashes had turned traitors, and The Saigennais publishes an account of the Having gone over what had been done by Mr. medicines to assuage suffering, so that when a had treacherously admitted the rebels into Hancook. His Lordship expressed an opinion man became sick, as he had never the cover of a city. General Gordon, it is said, sought refuge that if that gentleman had been acquainted with tent, nor skill, not fit drugs, not even good food, in a Copt church, where he still defends himself.

The plaintiffs would not, however, in rebuild- late for shipment to Shanghai. The trade in will clear the rebels out of Metaminely. remained, and these, seeing that they were being ing the wall pulled down, be justified in these articles, though comparatively new, is now overtaken, ran into San-moon Bay and by chan- extending it beyond the limits of the very large and greatens year by year. The wo-The baseball match between the Cricket Club | nels known only to the pilots succeeded in get | boundary line as now recognised. Judgment | men of Bedfordshire are now without means of and the U.S. flagship Trenton will be com- ting into Sheipoo, the dangerous entrances to would therefore be for the plaintiffs, with costs! making a living, as their old special industry which they probably thought rendered them safe His Lordship said he might add that the law has been supplanted by the cheap labour of North permission of Admiral Davis and the officers of from all attack, but they had really only run into with regard to acquiescence seemed to be care. China. The misfortune of the English girls is the Trenton, the band of the flagship will play a trap from which there was no escape. After a fully considered and correctly laid down in Kerr a great boon to the Chinese, who during the found in the enemy's possession at Dulka, which winter season plait with deft and quick fingers, stated that a letter had been received from the and if they carn 80 to 100 cash by working for 15 | Mahdi announcing that Kharton'n was contured to 18 hours a day they are contented. The new on January the 26th, and that General Gordon industry of Northern China has brought about was killed. It is understood here that Sir another change. As work cannot be done at Evelyn Wood will take command of General night by the feeble glimmer of a reed steeped | Earle's column. in oil, kerosine is bought, and that the mineral oil may be burnt a new industry has sprung up in Canton and Fatshan, where fairly good reached Gubat on the 11th instant, and is ex lamps are made in prodigious numbers, and peoted to make an attack on Metammeh on th sold here for a few cents. Year by year, as 15th. This transpired that a large number of the new industries flourish, more petroleum the garrison at Berber were advancing to rein- from Austria. Lieutenant Ravel, the Admiral's side-de-camp, articles valued altogether at \$15, belonging to will have to be brought from America, unless, force the garrison at Motommeh, but on hearing trom America, unless, force the garrison at Motommeh, but on hearing to Lord Derby has accepted the offer of the New indeed, it should be found possible to refine of the victory of our troops at Dulka they hasti-The frigate and gunboat were found anchored in The defendant requisitioned the occupants of and render inexplosive the heavy earth oils of ly returned to Berber. the narrowest part of the harbour, the entrances a house he was sleeping at for such things as he Formosa and Shanse. Thus a new trade, which In connection with the Lyndhurst Terrace to which they commanded with their heavy coveted, but was met by one of the proprietors has created new wants, will surely bring about a Sir Evelyn Wood started to-day for Metam- New Guinea, on condition that the vessel be rewide extension of enterprise, and the instance I meh. Colonel Brackenbury has been promoted fitted and put in proper condition for the service give will be the forerunner of many develop- to the rank-of-Brigadier General, and has been The case against a number of women for ments and changes. The Chinese now begin to appointed to the command of General Earle's Wales. understand that they have immense wealth be- force. low the soil, and as needs arise enterprise is | An eye-witness from Khartoum states that no His Worship considering that the defendants quickened. - Another modern instance is the lighting took place after the death of General much of it, is particularly well suited to the bels sacked the town. boilers of torpedo-boats, and for boilers intended to raise high steam at a quick rate. Steres of the cost are now to be heaped up in Taku and

thousands of men.—Courier Correspondent.

PEKING.

There is a rumour that an Imperial edict is are at the same time to give their motives for

of Punishments, yet the Seventh Prince does not seem to muster courage enough to go on with the railways. For the time being he has sent a troop of mandarins to look out for the mineral wealth of the country round Jehol, where there are some old silver mines, which some fifty or sixty years ago yielded great profit.

Until now no demands have been formulated by the Japanese, although foreigners think that such will happen; the Chinese seem, however, to be quite unconcerned in this respect.

It appears that the wharfage dues schome, which Mr. Detring introduced in Tientsin, and boarded, it was found he had a cargo of coal for from which its excellent roads have spring which are as great a benefit to traffic as to the The defendant alleged that he had a cargo of personal comfort of residents, is spreading to -Courier Correspondent.

> MASSACRE OF CHRISTIANS IN YUNNAN.

ORDERS ISSUED TO KILL FOREIGN MISSIONARIES.

The Shanghai Mureury publishes the folpect to learn that the Peiho will be open to very unfavourable. The Viceroy evidently does authority has been established as far as the not respect the Imperial notification that all The Chinese torpedo-boat which was recently foreigners who were not engaged in warlike launched from Boyd's yard went on a trial trip pursuits should be protected. Ch'en kong pao on the 25th alt. Her torpedo discharging goar (the Vicercy of the two provinces Yunnan and munitions of war the Oxfordshire brought out tion of all Roman Catholic converts, and many say that the order includes all foreigners. An eastern frontier of that country. The British some vitrial over another youth whose face and waiting for a reply. Several Roman Catholic villages are said to have been destroyed and some hundreds of converts killed; and it is a fact that Kiu-ya-ping, a place two days journey from Ta-li Fu, has been demolished, forty converts and eight soldiers killed; whilst the two foreign Priests are missing.

The Priests in Ta-li are terribly afraid and I have already told you that the pro-Peace as 500 soldiers arrived in the city on the 12th

Victor Hugo has just purchased, for \$37,3651., engage in a dangerous and costly contest in these himself.

THE INDIAN MAIL.

From papers brought on yesterday by the steamer Arratoon Apear, Capt. Mactavish, from Calcutta, we take the following telegrams:-THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

wrong, he might have considered it necessary to has been in money about 70 to 80 millions of only the Mahdi's flags were visible. The streets allow their rescality to be enquired into. refer their plans and evidence to some qualified taels. Besides the Foodhow fleet, which repre-were swarming with the Malidi's followers, who and disinterested surveyor for his guidance in the sented a large sum, has been destroyed; the re- were still-rejoicing and exulting in their triumph.

The greater part of General Earle's force has passed the Bahami Cataract. The rebels have them. They say the Mahdi will give Sir Charles-. The English press, both in the metropolis and in the provinces, insists upon the adoption of a right, the owners of Marine Lot 185 had ac if that is hopeless, whether it will not be best to vigorous policy, and advocates the capture of Ber-

BOMBAY, 11th February. A special telegram to the Times of India, from the boundary line laid down by Mr. Danby be- the people have a thorough antipathy, and—at tain England's credit in Egypt and the East by tween Marine Lots 184 and 185. This being the heart—contempt, and the intense national hatred defeating the Mahdi. If General Buller thinks case, he did not think the defendant was justified of 300 millions of people is a matter that Japan | that General Gordon is still holding out with a in pulling down the plaintiffs' wall, even al- would have to reckon with. China might sub- forlorn hope, he may push on, otherwise Lord though he might, perhaps, have been justified in mit to France, but to Japan, never! The men Wolseley will summer at Berber and advance on removing the three inches or so that projected of Tekio will do well to act prudently, for the Khartoum September, five weeks before General if he could have done so without material injury costs and risks of a war with China are not to Earle reaches Berber. It has also been decided to smash Osman Digma with a force advancin Shanghai Banking Corporation have negotiated over our ships, which had seen long and hard reasonable sum, and he considered that the Admiral Courbet will not afflict us by blockade advance from Stakim will be made for two months. service. Three of them escaped in the fog and application for restraining the defendant -will have much strawbraid, sheep and camels' There are great objections to employing Indian from further trespassing must be allowed. wool, &c., that came down in December last, too regiments from the regular army. Sir R. Buller

KORTI, 12th February A Convoy with the wounded reached here to

Cairo, 12th February, A telegram from Lord Wolseley states that: letter signed by the Governor of Berber was bustering expedition was feared.

KORTI, 16th February. Sir Redvers Buller, with the 18th Regiment

BOMBAY, 13th February,

To-day Captain Hext chartered the following vessels:-The P. and O. Steamer Zambesi, the Port Li, for the use of the fleet, and as this new British India Company's steamers Sirdhana, demand is considerable, some other means of Culna, Henzada, and Goalpara. The troops will transport than camels or mules have become ne- be embarked as they arrive, and the probable within about a thousand metres of the enemy, an attempt to get into the Theatre, and have his cassary. Search will be made for similar coal in dates of sailing are 22nd to 28th instant. A other directions, and so a new demand will end telegram postponing the departure of the 12th MADRAS, 13th February.

The Madras Regiment going to the Soudan is the 23rd Light Infantry now at Sectabuldee and Hoshungabad, commanded by Colonel H.

MADRAS, 17th February. The Tenasserim, which arrived here from. out, according to which all the great officials of Rangoon last night goes to Bombay to carry BANGALOR, 17th February.

The F. Company, Queen's Sappers and try, under the command of Colonal Rowlandson. Prince Chun has taken no decided steps re- marching from Madras to Bangalor, arrived at

THE HEALTH OF THE QUEEN. LONDON. 17th February. The latest accounts of the Queen's health state that her Majesty is progressing favourably. MORE TROOPS OFFERED FROM AUSTRALITA. South Australia has offered to send a contingent of 250 infantry to the Soudan, A CONTINGENT FROM CANADA. Lord Wolseley has telegraphed his acceptance

SHIPPING CASUALTIES. LONDON, 12th February. The British India steamer Eldorado, outward | Sydney, but, lacking her anchor and chain, and bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, has the canvas being dilapidated, they were compelrun ashore on the Berlingas, Islands. The craw and passengers have been saved. The Pear of the Realm has run ashore on Lundy Islands. The captain and crew have been saved. THE BUSSIAN ADVANCE TO AFGHANISTAN.

f an offer of a contingent from Canada.

LONDON, 12th February. The Standard in a leading article to-day and a total of 131 raus, the highest scorer being nounces that the rumour recently provailing Ulyott, who batted in grand style for 53. The here that the Russians were marching on to fielding and bowling of the local men was ex-Herat is without foundation, and that M. De cellent. Halpin got five wickets for '11 runs.' no steps have either been taken or are in con- first lanings, and put together 89 runs, includtemplation inconsistent with the declarations ing 27 leg-byes. Their batting was, with a few made by the Russian Government in 1873. LONDON, 16th February,

The Times publishes a paragraph stating that M. Lessar, in his negotiations with the British Government with regard to the Afghan Boundary, maintained that, through the submission of 18 the Salor Turkomans to Russia, the Russian western spurs of the Paropamisus range, which is the only practicable frontier between Russia and Afghanistan. The Amir of Afghanistan's authority on the Murghab cannot extend below Panideh. Thus the district of Badghus will be Government, the Times says, rejects the claim. and M. Lessar is now awaiting instructions. AFFAIRS IN BURMAH.

RANGOON, 11th February. The Rangoon Times says Admiral Hewett has instructions to proceed to Mandalay with escort, and interview King Theebaw and the officer commanding the second Somersetshire Regiment, will provide an escort which will include a company of Marines, and a demonment of Blue Jackets. The Government steamer Irrawaddy will convey the party. It is reported that Prome will be the base of operations against Upper Barmah.

Randoon, 12th February. It is rumoured that three members of the Parsi Theatrical Company have been murdered in Mandalay, because some of the palace ladies | Peel and Flowers bowled for the Englishmen regarded them with too great favour. King Theebaw has filed a suit in the Recorder's the late Mr. Hazlewood, the value of certain pre-

cious stones entrusted to him for sale by the A Kachyen Tsahwa with 1.200 followers has

joined the Chinese who hold Bhamo. King Theebay has instructed the principal Hooongyees throughout his dominions to write to him if they have any complaints against BOMBAY, 9th February, - the officials. The Rangoon Gazette remarks A special telegram to the Bombay Gazette from this sounds well, but no good will result. London on Sunday says that General Wilson on Adverse reports will either be burked or his arrival at Khartoum found that all the British evaded, because the district officials are more without deciding as to which of them was in the suffering greatly. The cost of the war so far and Egyptian flags had been torn down, and that creatures of the ministers, who dare not

Further murders are being committed in the palaco at Mandalay. The young son of the Thousi Prince is one of the latest victims. All his followers were killed at the same time. King Theebaw is reported to be reckless as to

RANGOON, 16th February: The Burmese are investing the Chinese at Bhamo very closely. A difficulty is experienced

INDIAN NEWS. MADRAS. Srd February. The death of the Princess of Taujors closes he dynasty of Tanjore. In 1859, the Princess married, and she bore three children, all of whom died. The Princers of Tanjore was a dang tree of Rajah Savaji of Tanjore, and a member of the order of the Crown of India.

Prince Oscar of Swiden has sailed home in the Swedish frigate Vinadis. His brother, Prince Charles, sails in the mail steamer tomorrow, and will break the journey at Alexandria in order to visit the Levant. BOMBAY, Sth February

BOMBAY, 5th Fabruary,

The Arabs and Mussulmans do not openly betray any feeling, but privately the majority of them exult in the triumph of the Mahdi. The Arabs say the Wahdi is all-powerful and you cannot harm him, but he can crush you.

all the circumstances of the case he would not he generally died. The mortality in the Chinese At present the Kabbabish are friendly towards hold the opinion that the Mahdi could at any BANGALORE, 10th Pobrage's. The Mahammedan community of Bungalore time have taken Khartoum, but waited the arrival of the reinforcements in order to worry Wilson much trouble yet. He wishes to annov the English, and that is all. He does not care to obtain a permanent victory. They satisfaction at the Mandi's success as doing credit to Islam, and as in part a retrieval of the recent defeats suffered by Tarkey, the Mahommedans of these parts have no political bias in the matter, or if they have are reticent.

THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The China Navigation Company's steamer Woosung, with the Australian mail arrived here yesterday morning. The subjoined telegrams are taken from Sydney and Queensland papers: THE ANNEXATION OF NEW GUINEA.

LONDON, 4th February It is nonsidered likely that the Imperial Government will contribute a portion of the expense involved in the annexation of New Guinea. The annexation is delayed pending the adjustment of the boundary between the German and British portions of the island. LONDON, 6th February Earl Granville, Secretary of State for Foreign

Affairs, having represented to the German Government that the annexation of the northern portion of New Guinea by the latter was in variance with the assurance made to Great Britain, Prince Bismarck has replied that the a German flag was hoisted there because a fili-AUSTRALASIAN ITEMS

LONDON, 2nd February. It is announced that Sir John Coode, the eminent civil engineer, is about to proceed to Western Australia in order to inspect the Fremantle Harbour works.

London, 3rd February. Sir F. Dillon Boll, Agent-General for New Zealand, has invited the other Agents-General to enter a joint protest against the proposal of the Austrian Government to establish penal colonies in the Pacific for the reception of criminals

South Wales Government to place the colonial at the expense of the Government of New South

LONDON, 5th February. Major Cameren, the new-commandant of the military forces of South Australia, has refused to proceed to Adolaide because the Government of South Australia would not make him an extraallowance to enable him to take out his family to Australia. It is reported that he has offered his services elsewhere.

The Earl of Derby will shortly send out a stag and two hinds from his estate at Knowsley. Park as a present to the Adelaide Zoological. LONDON, 2nd February.

The Archbishop of Canterbury approves of the prestion of a bishowric in Figi. but disclaims any attempt to proselytise the Christian natives of

that colony. MASSACRE IN THE SOLOMON ISLANDS.

BRISBANE, 4th February, The schooner Elibank Castle, of Sydney, arvived at Port Douglas yesterday in charge of the mate. Henry C. Banks, who reports that Captain Howie and four of the hands were mardered on the 15th January at Point Banyetta, in the Solomon Group. The captain and the four men went ashore in a boat, and on nearing the beachthey were attacked by the savages, numbering 50 or more, with tomahawks, spears, &c. The natives were seen from the vessel pulling the bodies out of the water and carrying the boat," oars, and trade along the beach, and then disappear in the bush. The mate fired two shots ashore from a rifle without response, but about 10 a.m., rifle shots came all round the vessel, passing over their heads and between the man on board. The cook was sent aft, with a rifle to keen up a fire while sail was being made; and whilst the hands were loosening the topsail one bullet severed the starbeard cleet, and another passed through the bunt of the sail. The shots were coming from the bush, but nobody could be seen. After a consultation, it was decided to slip the cable, and the vessel canted in shord. twice; but at length a heavy squall favoured her. the anchor was shipped; and the vessel got away, It was then deemed prudent to proceed direct to

led to put into Port Douglas. THE ENGLISH CRICKETERS IN QUEENSLAND. MARYBOROUGH, 5th February. A match between the English Eleven and twenty-two of Maryborough was commenced today. The Englishmen went in first, and made : The Maryborough team then went in for their exceptions, very poor.

MARYBOROUGH, 6th February. The match between the English Eleven and twenty-two of Maryborough was resumed and concluded to day. Splendid cricket was displayed from first to last. The Maryborough team showed a marked improvement in their batting on that of the previous day, while their bowling and fielding were excellent. The Englishmen in their second innings scored 183 runs. The trophy of mining shares offered to the highest scorer in the English team was won by Ulyett, who went in first, and carried out his bat appropriated to Russia, with Kushk as the for 106 runs. He gave a magnificent exhibition of scientific and vigorous batting, being over three hours at the wickets. The Maryborough team in their second innings scored 93, the Englishmen thus winning the match by 123 runs. The following are the scores of the Englishmen in their second innings:-

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all through the match.

AUSTRALIAN TROOPS FOR EGYPT. ADELAIDE, 19th Fobruary The New South Wales Government have

wired to England offering to land at Smakim, A SKILFUL SURGICAL OPERATION in thirty days after an acceptance of the offer is received, two batteries of nine and sixteen pounder field guns, with men and one hundred Mr. Kasson, has lately forwarded to h and fifty or two hundred horses. A further Government an interesting account of a remark offer was made of five hundred infantry soldiers. able surgical operation lately performed by A reply was received from the British Govern- Professor Billroth, of Vienna, which, wonderfu ment saying that one battery of ten guns and to tell, consisted in the removal of a portion the horses and infantry would be accepted. The English Press is loud in its praises of the of the organ-and, strange to say, the paties -action taken-by-New-South Wales. General Wolseley has telegraphed to Sydney kind ever performed. The disease for which affirming his entire approval of the movement, this operation was performed was cancer of the and stating that it will afford him much pleasure stomach, attended with the following sym to receive the Australian contingent. The enthusiasm in the colonies, as well as in peculiar indescribable distress in the stomac England, is tremendous. Wealthy colonists are a feeling that has been described as a faint "a offering to contribute from £100 to £4,000 each | gone" sensation; a sticky slime collects about towards the expedition, and James Tyson, the the teeth, especially in the morning accompanied Queensland millionaire, offers to contribute £4,000 by an unpleasant taste. Food fails to satisfy annually for three years. Many others have this peculiar faint sensation; but, on the contribute £4,000 by an unpleasant taste. offered to subscribe £1,000 yearly for the same | trary, it appears to aggravate the feeling. The pariòd. These offers have been accepted, but no more and feet become cold and sticky -a cold perspire assistance will be required till the autumn: Subsequently similar offers were made by the sleep does not seem to give rest. After a tin Governments of Victoria, Queensland, and South | the patient becomes nervous and irritable Australia; Victoria to send 700 men, and Queens- gloomy, his mind filled with evil foreboding land and South Australia 250 each. The Queen has telegraphed her thanks to the tion there is a dizziness, a whistling sensation colonies for the proffered aid. MISCELLANEOUS TELEGRAMS. London, 30th January. The Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain has ex- and stagment, and does not circulate properly pressed the opinion that Mr. Parnell, M.P., After a time the patient spits up food soon aft ought to publicly denounce the recent dynamite eating, sometimes in a sour and fermented co The Right Hon. W. E. Foster, M.P., sug- times there is a palpitation of the heart, and the gests that a Colonial Conference should be held patient fears he may have heart disease. T in London to discuss the question of Imperial wards the last the patient is unable to retain au LONDON, 31st January. Sir Charles Gavan Duffy has advised the Con- is indeed alarming, sufferers with the above servative party to compromise with the Home named symptoms should not feel nervous, The death is autounced of Baron Thomas disease easily removed if treated in a proper D For Heartburn and Hondache. The steamer Amalfi came into collision with disease is Seigel's Curative Syrup, a vegetable the Netherland's steamer Oranje in the Gulf of preparation sold by all chemists and medicine Aden, and the latter was sunk. LONDON, 4th February. Lord Sherbrooke, whose wife died some few road, London, E.C. This Syrup strikes at the luse in Warm Climates, Dinnerous & Co., Chemists, conths ago, has married again months ago, has married again. The hospital nurse, Dudley, who shot at and lroot and branch, out of the system. wounded O'Donovan Rossa in New York, is regarded as a heroine in the United States. It is stated that the ball has not yet been extracted | Sir, -It gives me great pleasure to inform from Rossa's body. The commercial convention entered into be Syrap. I have been troubled for years with tween the British and Spanish Governments has dyspepsia; but after a few doses of the Syrup, I been submitted by the latter to the Cortes for found relief, and after taking two bottles of it I The Right Hon. George H. Göschen, speaking at a meeting at Edinburgh last night, said that the union of the colonies with Great Britain was essential to the welfare of the Empire. It is stated that the Government of Portugal steadily increasing. All who have tried it speak have seized the territory along the banks of the very highly of its medicinal virtues: one Lower Congo, on the west coast of Africa. LONDON, 5th February. The Portuguese Government have sent twelve men-of-war to the Congo. Her Majesty the Queen and the Prince of Wales have expressed their condolence with the Marquis of Normanby on the death of the Marchioness. Sir Saul Samuel, Agent-General for New cleanse the bowels from all irritating substances, South Wales, states that an offensive and defen- and leave them in a healthy condition. They sive alliance between the various parts of the cure costiveness. Empire is preferable to federation. At a conference of the Conservative party held | My Dear Sir,—Your Syrup and Pills are still at Eister, the federation of the Empire was ap- very popular with my customers, many saying TEBIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT. in his 75th year. means of dynamite. sacred and the palace was gutted. thers, and 249 packages sundries. packages sundries. Quotations are: --Patna (Old) 595 " Benares (New) 587 Benares (Old) 5874 , Exchange. On London .--Bank Bills on demand sight. ON PARIS.— On Shanghal.— \$460 per share. \$63 per share.

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The death is announced of the Right Hon. The other day a customer came for two bottles Sir Robert Joseph Phillimore, Bart., D.C.L., of Syrap and said "Mother Seigel" had saved formely Judge of the Probate, Divorce, and Ad- the life of his wife, and he added, "one of these miralty division of the High Court of Justice, bottles I am sending theen miles away to a friend who is very ilt. ... have much faith in it." "Is a success and a boon for which nations should feel grateful."—See Medical Press, Lancet, British Medical Journal, &c.

CAUTION.—Genuine only with the fac-simile of LONDON, 6th February. The sale keeps up wonderfully, in fact, one An attempt has been made to blow up the would fancy almost that the people were begin-Cathedral at Jacobstadt, a town in Russia, by ning to breakfast, dine and sup on Mother Seigel's Syrup, the demand is so constant and the The indignation and disgust expressed in satisfaction so great. The title "Baron Liebig" and his photograph having boon lately used by dealers having no connection with Baron Liebig, the publicare hereby informed that the England on receipt of the news of the fall of Lam, dear Sir, yours faithfully, Khartoum is unparalleled, and consols have (Signed) - W. Bowker. fallen hor cent in consequence. Profound To A. J. White, Esq., sympathy is expressed on the Continent with Hensingham, Whitehaven, Oct. 16, 1882. General Gordon and the Khartonm garrison. It Mr. A. J. White,—Dear Sir,—I was for some is reported that on the capture of Khartoum by time afflicted with piles, and was advised to give the Mahdi 2,000 of the inhabitants were mas- Mother Seigel's Syrup a trial, which I did. I am now happy to state that it has restored me complete health .- I remain, yours respectfully, (Signed) John H. Lightfoot COUMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. FRIDAY, 6th March. HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. EXPORT CARGOES. Per steamship Feronia, sailed on the 2nd (FROM Musics, FALCONES & Co.'s REGISTER.) March:-For Havre-593 bags coffee, 55 cases Thermometer-9 & Management and a services of the Colombia of t Chinaware, 10 cases bristles, and 7 packages sun-dries. For Havre, Option Hamburg-182 pacther aborter-1 reviews a second over a second kages merchandise. For Hamburg—38 packages The bromater - 2 A. w. 4 that trully _______ Thermometer-1 r.u. (Wet muth) rattans, 220 packages caues, 100 cases staraniseed ham meter-4 e.s. (Set butto 126 cases essent. oil, 97 packages firecrackers, 132 Charmennater - Verigines cases gum alemi, 50 bales tobacco, 53 bales fea-Thermometer-Minimum (over wight)..... Por steamship Bokhara, sailed on the Srd HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE. March:-From Shanghai for London-146 pac-kages tea. For Continent-784 bales raw silk, 71H TO 137H MARCH, 1386. 95 bales waste silk, 7 cases silk piece goods, and 10 HIGH WATER. LOW WATER. Hongkone Mean Time, Honglong Mean Time Height, Height, Malwa (New).......\$540 per picul, allce, of 2½ 0 4 Ito 3 catties. Malwa (Old) 3550 per picul, alice. of 31 to 4 catties. Patna (Now)\$6071 por chest. nor lowhigh-3 9 mill 31 3 2 m l 30 4 0 - 0 28 a 4 0 -7 9 . The height or mean sea-level has been determined at 7.545 feet above zero of the tide-gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard; and the Low-water Ordinary Spring-Tides, to which datum he heights in these Tables are referred, as 5.595 feet above Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight......3,65 Bank Bills, st 4 months' sight3/61 Credits, at 4 months' sight......3/6# Documentary Bills, at 4 months' The heights in the Tables marked with a minus (—) sign are below how-Water Ordinary Spring-Tides, and should be subtracted from the constants given above. Bank Bills, on demand444 Credits, at 4 months' sight4.50 CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL OR BOMBAY.-Bank, 3 days' sight ... 2203 REGISTER. On Calcurra.—Bank, 3 days' sight... 2201 6th March, 1886, at 4 r.m. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-121 83,7 69.6 65,1 per cent. premium. ex. div. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited— China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares— 29,45 - Xey 29.69 29.1 -North China Insurance—Tls. 285 per share. Yangteze Insurance Association-Tls. 130 per 6th March, 1885, at 10 a.m. Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—\$175 per On Tai-Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 148 par share. Canton Insurance Office, Limited—3821 per Haiphong ... 30.03 6 9 76
Amoy ... 30.07 6 1.0 76
Shanghai ... 30.18 47.0 95 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-• \$342\frac{1}{2} per sbare, ex. div. Chins Fire Insurance Company's Shares -\$65 | Wisdi-Windi- 3 ... 21,89- 28.2 per share. or div. The Barometer has fallen in the south and risen in the Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company's north. Gradients though still alight are increasing for El. winds. The humidity has decreased in the south but rises Sharest-48 percent, prem. ex. div. in the North, where oversest and cold weather has set in. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares \$27 per share premium ex div. W. DOBERCK. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-Hongkong Observatory, 6th March, 1885. 30 per cent. discount. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited —30 per cent. discount." METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. Douglas Steamship Company, Limited -- Par. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$90 pe On date | On date at 10 a.m. at 4 p.m. at 1 p.m. Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$120 per Harometer Tomperature China Sugar Retining Company, Limited—Par. Humidity
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n, er	A SKILFUL SURGICAL OPERATION.	VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.								
ed er	The American Ambassador at Vienna, Mr. Kasson, has lately forwarded to his Government an interesting account of a remark-	DESTINATION	VESSELS NAME	CAPTAIN.	AT	FOR PREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DESPATCHED			
n-	able surgical operation lately performed by Professor Billroth, of Vieuna, which, wonderful to tell, consisted in the removal of a portion of									
	the human stomach, involving nearly one-third of the organ—and, strange to say, the patient recovered—the only successful operation of the kind ever performed. The disease for which	The state of the s	Iphigenia (str.) Melbrek	F. Ahrens		Siemssen & CoArnhold, Kurberg & Co	On or about 20th inst. Quick despatch.			
ıŧ,	this operation was performed was cancer of the stomach, attended with the following symptoms:—The appetite is quite poor. There is a	LONDON, &co., VIA SUEZ CANAL.	Radnorshire(str.) Glenfinlas (str.) Eaghalien (str.)	S. C. Richard Jacobs Homory	Hongkong Hongkong	Adamson, Bell & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Messageries Maritimes	On or about 16th inst. On or about 11th inst. On 10th inst., at Noon.			
re	peculiar indescribable distress in the stomach, a feeling that has been described as a faint "all gone" sensation; a sticky slime collects about	NEW YORK NEW YORK SAN FRANCISCO	Nicholas Thayer Crescent Commodore	Crosby Ruland- Binnehard	Hongkong 1 Hongkong 1	Arnhold, Karberg & CoRussell & CoRussell & Co	Quick despatch. Quick despatch. Quick despatch.			
he 100 100	the teeth, especially in the morning, accompanied by an unpleasant taste. Food fails to satisfy this peculiar faint sensation; but, on the con-	PORT DARWIN, &c	Oceanic (str.) Woosung (str.) Sumatra (str.) Mosser (str.)	Hunt Titzek	Hongkong Hongkong	O. & O. S. S. Co. Butterfield & Swire P. & O. S. N. Co. Russell & Co.	On 13th inst., at 3 P.M. On 18th inst., at 4 P.M. On 11th inst., at 3 P.M. On 9th inst., at Noon			
j.	trary, it appears to aggravate the feeling. The eyes are sunken, tinged with vellow; the hands and feet become cold and sticky—a cold perspira-	YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO BANGKOK EWATOW AND BANGKOK TIENTSIN VIA SWATOW	Danube (str.) Mongkut (str.) Ægean (str.)	J. Newton	Hongkong Hongkong	Yuen Fat Hong Yuen Fat Hong Jarding Matheson & Co	On 9th inst., at Noon. On 11th inst., Daylight.			
th	tion. The sufferers feet tired all the time, and sleep does not seem to give rest. After a time the patient becomes nervous and irritable, gloomy, his mind filled with evil forebodings.	SHANGHAI SHANGHAI MANILA VIA AMOY	Glenroy (str.) Amoy (str.) Esmerolda (str.)	1	Hongkong Hongkong Hongkong	Jardine, Matheson & Co Siemssen & Co Russell & Co	To-day, at Noon. To-day, at 4 P.M. To-day, at 5 P.M.			
	When rising suddenly from a recumbent posi- tion there is a dizziness, a whistling sensation, and he is obliged to grasp something firm to	MANILA SAIGON	Francisco Reyes Welcombe (str.)	Urruticoechea Corfield,	Liongkong	Remedios & Co	On 9th inst., at 5 P.M. On 11th inst.			
7	keep from falling. The bowels costive the skin dry and hot at times; the blood becoming thick and stagmant, and does not circulate properly.				A section was					
ite	After a time the patient spits up food soon after eating, sometimes in a sour and fermented condition, sometimes sweetish to the taste. Often-		3.TUC	CATOTTO A XX	ME O	WESSELS ON	Table Submit			
ld	times there is a palpitation of the heart, and the patient fears he may have heart disease. Towards the last the patient is unable to retain any feed whatever as the eneming in the intestines.	BUSINESS ANNOUNCEME DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA.	$\frac{SNTS.}{\mathbf{D}^{\mathbf{H}}\mathbf{G}}$	INSURANO NIX FIRI			VESSELS ON THE BERTH. FOR SHANGHAL			
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"SUMATRA," will leave for the above place on WEDNES-DAY, the 11th instant, at THREE P.M. A. McIVER. Superintendent. Hongkong, 6th March, 1885. 493 FOR SAIGON.

"WELCOMBE," [947 Captain Corfield, will be despatched for the above Port on WEDNESDAY, the 11th inst. To commence Loading on the 6th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to SOEY SHING;

Bonham Strand. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Steamship "GLENFINLAS," Captain Jacobs, will be despatched as above on or about the 11th instant For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. VIA SUEZ CANAL. Taking Cargo at through rates for New York). HE Steamship

"RADNORSHIRE," S. C. Rickard, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 16th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 3rd March, 1885. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MEL-BOURNE, &c. HE Steamship

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VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Steamship "IPHIGENIA," Captain F. Ahrens, will be despatched for above Ports on or about the 20th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

Hongkong, 5th March, 1885. FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. . "MELBREK," Lightbody, Master, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, 18th February, 1835.

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FOR NEW YORK. THE American Bark "NICHOLAS THAYER." Crosby, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

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PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO. LOMBO, ADEN. SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN, ANI BLACK SEA PORTS, NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL

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N TUESDAY, the 10th day of March, 1885, at NOON, the Company's Steamship "SAGHALIEN," Commandant Homory, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above Port Darwin on the 5th, and may be expected Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marsoilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 9th March, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are &c., nor at any private house (even though For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 27th February, 1885. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS day from the Daily Press Office. TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE;

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ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. HE Steamship "OCEANIC," will be

despatched for San Francisco, via Yoko- below. hama, on FRIDAY, the 13th instant, at Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day pre-

vious to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have day, the 7th inst., at 4.39 P.M. paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco For Bangkok. Per Daniele, on Monday, the for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six 9th inst., at 11.39 A.M. months, will be allowed a discount of 20 %, from Return Fare: if reemburking within one year, an allowance of 10 / will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Mongkut, on of 25 % from Return Fare. These allowances Tassday, the 10th inst., at 5.00 P.M. do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-

tined to Ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. F. E. FOSTER, Agent. Hongkong, 4th March, 1895.

FÖR NEW YORK. THE S/3 L I.I. American Bark "CRESCENT," Ruland, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 11th February, 1885. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. HE 3/3 L I.I. American Ship "COMMODORE,"

Blanchard, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 4th February, 1885.

GEORGE GOULET PUSTAU & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. HAIPHONG. CALIXTE IMBERT.

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Hongkong, 11th April 1883. WINTER TIME TABLE. THE KOWLOON FERRY.

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MAILS EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. steamer Arabic, with the American mail of the 3rd February, left Yekohama on the 1st, and is due here on or about the 7th inst, THE FRENCH MAIL.

The M. M. steamer Melbourne, with the next

French mail, left Saigon on the afternoon of the

6th March, and is due here on or about the 9th

STEAMERS EXPECTED. The C. S. S. Co.'s steamer Priam left Singapore on the 1st, and is due here on the 8th in-

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POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

Attention is invited to the following par tionlars on the subject of Local Delivery :-LOCAL DELIVERY.—No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdson. named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected

(Postal Guide, par. 159). The above Regulation is not new, but has been the invariable rule of the Post Office for many years. Considerable efforts have been made to secure its being generally understood. To prevent, however, if possible, any further disappointment in the matter, it will appear permantly on the Mail Lists issued twice every

The Postal Guide for 1835, revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory, p. 393 large edition, p. 657 small edition. This is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE.

For Shanghai.-Per Glenroy, to-day, the 7th inst., at 11.3) A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Amoy, to-day, the 7th inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Saigon .- Per Boris, to day, the 7th inst., at 4-60 P.M. For Amoy and Manile. - Per Emeralda, to-Monday, the 9th inst. at 11.30 a.M.

For Yokohama and Hiogo.-Per Mosser, on For Muila.-Per Francisco Royes, on Monday, the 9th inst., at 4:30 P.M. For Straits and Bombay. - Per Sumatra, on Wednesday, the 11th inst., at 2.39 P.M.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Proket Sayhalien will be despitched on TUESDAY, the 10th March, with Mails for the United Kinglom, Europe; and places beyond, wil Naules; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, India, (via Muleux), the Anstralasian Colonies, Alon, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Wails, &c.

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MAILS BY THE UNLIED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet Oceanic will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 13th instant. with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:--2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence

2.15 p.m., Registry ceases. may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS.

THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing . [194] Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:-Day of Departure.

Noon.-Money Order Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns cesses. 3.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 3.10 p.m.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely.

3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure.

THE FRENCH MAIL Day before Departure.

5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. Day of Departure. A.M., Post Office opens.
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11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure.

RATES OF POSTAGE.

Letters, per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz. Books. Patterns, and Commercial? Papers, per 2 oz. Newspapers & Prices Current, each 2 Cents 0 Cents Registration Do, with return receipt ... Commercial papers signify such papers as though written by hand, do not bear the charac-Leaves ter of an actual or personal correspondence, such Hongkong as invoicest deeds, copied music. &c. The charge is the same as for Books, but all packets of and under 4 oz. weight are charged 5 cents.

LOCAL AND INDIAN PARCEL POST. 1.—Small Parcels may be sent by Post at Book-Rates between Hongkong and any of the British Post Offices in China, as well as to Japan, Macao Pakhoi, the Straits Settlements, Ceylon and India. They must not exceed the following dimensions, 2 feet long, I foot board, I foot deep, weigh more than 5lbs., nor be smaller than 3 in. by 2 in. by no letter, but any parcel may be opened by direc-

tion of the Postmaster General. In the Case of 130 Parcels for India a declaration of contents and value is required, a printed form for which is supplied gratis. The Registration of Parcels for India and Ceylon is compulsory.

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